

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Structural Analog

**Amendment and Response**

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Dear Sir:

This is responsive to the Final Office Action dated June 2, 2006, made final.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 5 of this paper.